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In re Application                      Heinz Loosen  
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A Notification of Missing Requirements, dated 9/22/99, required that Applicant submit a translation of the Application into English and a processing fee.

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A Notice of Abandonment, dated 12/15/00, was received by Attorney for Applicant on 12/18/00, who spoke with Mr. Boris Miles in the PCT Legal Office on 1/3/01. Mr. Miles advised that Attorney for Applicant file this Petition with the Legal Office.

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Inasmuch as the Abandonment is based solely on failure to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements of 9/22/99, and inasmuch as the response to the Notification of Missing Requirements was received by the PCT/PTO on 10/1/99, it appears appropriate to vacate the Notice of Abandonment and such action is most respectfully requested.

The undersigned avers that the copies submitted herewith are true copies.

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Respectfully submitted,



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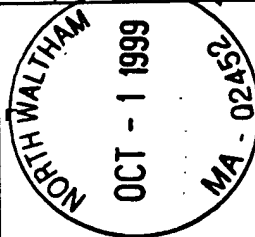
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